The Shakerite

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253 Seniors Leave School

At Pine Ridge on May 24 PattiePlays at SeniorProm

The 253 Shaker seniors will graduate at 8 o'clock on June 4. Dr. Lewis Wright, president of Baldwin-Wallace College will deliver the commencement address. "Many fellows and girls are going on to colleges," said Tommy Rogers, president of the senior class, "though some are starting out in the industrial world."

The senior prom, with Vincent Pattie's orchestra, will be held at Pine Ridge Country Club on May 29. "We're striving for the best prom yet, with hopes that everyone will be there," added President Rogers.

Tommy continued, "The class is not only looking forward to this year at colleges, but to next year when our class will be eligible for the alumni dance. We hope that the next senior class will try very hard to get definite senior class privileges which we have not enjoyed."

P. T. A. Honors Patin With Banquet, Watch

In appreciation of his 22 years of service in Shaker schools, Principle R. B. Patin, at a testimonial dinner given in his honor on the evening of May 13, was presented a wrist watch by the Parent-Teachers Association.

After the dinner in the high school cafeteria, attended by parents, faculty, and alumni, Hope Griswald, class of '36, spoke briefly on "Freedom as a Shaker student." Mrs. Leyton Carter, wife of the school board president, said a few words for her husband, who was unable to attend. Following this, Mr. Patin was given the watch by Kenneth Carter, president of the P. T. A.

With a few words Mr. Patin expressed his thanks and spoke reminiscently of the changes he's seen in 22 years in the same school system—from Shaker's little combination junior high and high school to one of the most progressive high schools in the nation. L. R. Thrailkill spoke on the teacher's viewpoint, how, through Mr. Patin's cooperation, the teachers were able to serve the community.

Shaker's drama and theater class, directed by Robert S. Fryer, then presented dialogues from several famous plays.

Science Club Elects Officers; Farrow Is Prexy

The Science Club, under the sponsorship of Mr. Wayne French, held its election of officers for the coming semester on Tuesday, May 13.

Robert Farrow was elected president to carry on the work of Jim Collister who is graduating this June, and Lee Allen is the new vice president. The other officers are Betsy Chapin, secretary, and Robert Esch, treasurer.

Although many of the present members will graduate, the officers have indicated that they are planning to carry on a more intensified program of activities next year.

Lynn, Newhall, Elected King And Queen by Graduating Class

As a result of the *Shakerite* poll of the senior class on Wednesday, May 14, Kenneth Lynn and Libby Newhall were overwhelmingly elected "King and Queen" of the graduating class. In the poll, the first of its kind ever conducted by the Shakerite, the entire 12-A class was asked to name its choices for Senior Queen and the Senior Boy Most Likely to Succeed. Both Libby and Ken received about twice as many votes as their nearest rivals.

Runners-up for these titles were Bob Falls and Bertha Allen. Other seniors that received a great number of votes were Betty Krepps, Winifred Foster, Louise Adler, Dave Garvin, Jack Schuyler, and Tom Rogers.

The "General" demonstrated his versatility by receiving a vote for the Boy Most Likely to Succeed as well as three votes for Senior Queen. Other interesting choices for Senior Queen were Chuck Kilroy, Brenda and Cobina, and "Jeannie with the Light Brown Hair."

What we can't understand is why Rudolf Hess didn't get any votes.

May Queen Chosen At Junior Dance

In old Hawaiian style, Shakerites swung out to the music of Phil Peters at the annual Shaker High Junior Prom, Friday evening, May 16, from 8 to 12 o'clock, in the girls' gym. Amid an atmosphere of palm trees, ferns, and cocoanut balloons, Nancy Schuyler shown forth as the Junior May Queen and Be-be Gray was proclaimed runner- up.

A huge paper cocoanut framed the bandstand and nine hula-hula dancers made murals for the walls. As a door prize, each girl received a lei, another symbol which lent the proper air.

Mrs. Ruth Sacha sponsored the dance, with Nancy Schuyler as head of the social committee and Mr. Wesley Segner helping with the decorations. Also assisting was Jean Fielding, social chairman of the 11B's.

Last Short Course Features Importance of Aviation

Increased student interest in aviation was responsible for the last of the vocation short courses. In an assembly on Thursday, May 15, Mr. Blaine of the Lewis School of Aeronautics presented a film dealing with commercial flying.

Prior to the showing of the film, he recounted the value of the airplane today and said "There is bound to come a tremendous increase in civilian flying."

The film which was titled "Go Up, Young Man, Go Up," emphasized the Lewis School of Aeronautics and, incidentally, aviation as a career. Following the film, Mr. Blaine answered questions from the audience.

Scholarships Awarded to Lynn, Garvin, Donaldson

Announcements of scholarships awarded to outstanding Shaker seniors have been received by Principal R. B. Patin. Both Kenneth Lynn and David Garvin were given renewable scholarships to Yale University. Kenneth, editor of the Shakerite and chairman of the I. C. C., was presented with $365 toward his tuition for the freshman year. David, student treasurer and student council member was donated a $465 award.

Ralph Donaldson received a $100 scholarship to Wooster College renewable upon maintenance of a "B" average.

Art Classes Attend May Show at Museum

Shaker art classes on May 9 and 16 were conducted through the annual May Show at the Cleveland Art Museum by Mrs. Viola Wike of the museum staff.

The May Show is an exhibit of all work produced by Cleveland artists during the past year and includes ceramics, water colors, oil paints, photographs, prints, lithographs, and cleverly designed bowls and plates among which was a small red bowl designed by Mr. Wesley Segner of Shaker's art department.

Musicians Win Honors In National Contest

Three Shaker musicians invaded Flint, Mich., on Thursday, May 15, to compete in the National Music Contest. These three were Benson Breitman, Bertram Chernin and Dick Elliott.

Dick competed in student conducting and took first place award. Benson received a second place in the violin division, and Bertram a third in the French Horn division.

In the Regional Contest all three received either first or superior ratings.

The band is now preparing to play for the Student Council Assembly and for the graduation exercises of the senior class. The band will also furnish the music for the annual Memorial Day parade.

CongressionalClubElects, Initiates New Members

The Congressional Club elected a new slate of officers to guide it through the coming year at its weekly meeting on Thursday, May 8.

As a result of the election, Tom Foulds became president, succeeding Jack Schuyler. Neal Brunner was elected vice president, Bill Blair, secretary and Jim Speaker, treasurer. Upon taking over the duties of his office Tom stated that he and the other officers "would attempt to maintain the standards of the Congressional Club and the record of service to the school which it has established.

The following week the new members of the organization were initiated. They were Doug Abbott, Herb Ascherman, Alyn Benson, Fritz Bowers, Bill Dorer, Edward Loomis, and Charles Stewart.

Officers Inducted; Gristmill Presented in Final Assembly

King, Lister, Bowers, and Webster Installed, Reese Dedicates Annual to Miss McCracken As Graduating Class Attends Final Assembly

As the members of the June graduating class participated in their last assembly, the newly elected officers of the student council, Chuck King, Bill Lister, Fritz Bowers, and George Webster, were inducted into office on Wednesday, May 21.

After the impressive senior processional, the president of the senior class, Tom Rogers, presented the senior gift to Mr. Patin. The gift was the second payment on the school's recording machine.

Julianna Reese, editor of the Gristmill, then announced Miss Louise McCracken as this year's dedicatee of the annual. Miss McCracken, however, was unable to attend due to the illness which has prevented her from teaching her classes for the past semester.

Then, following a summary of the year's events by the Student Council committee chairmen, President Bob Falls delivered his farewell address. He thanked the student body, parents, and faculty for their cooperation and support. Bob reviewed the work his administration has accomplished and bestowed his best wishes for a highly successful year on the new officers.

Chuck and the other executives were then installed as the new Student Council officers for the coming year. Following his induction Chuck made his inaugural address in which he renewed his campaign pledges and asked for the support of the student body in future ventures.

After singing the Alma Mater, the Senior class made their recessional with the band accompanying and the junior class president and secretary, acting as marshals, leading the line of march.

Examination Schedule

Senior Examinations

English — Monday, May 26, 8:30 a. m.

Chemistry and Physics—Monday, May 26, 1:10 p. m.

Sociology and Economics—Tuesday, May 27, 8:30 a. m.

Geometry—Tuesday, May 27, 1:10 p. m.

Latin and Solid Geometry—Wednesday, May 28, 8:30 a. m.

French, Advanced German, College Algebra — Wednesday, May 27, 1:10 p. m.

Modern History and Advanced German—Thursday, May 29, 8:30 a. m.

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Junior and Sophomore Examinations

English — Thursday, May 29, 1:10 p. m.

History—Monday, June 2, 8:30 a. m.

Science—Monday, June 2, 1:00 p. m.

French and German — Tuesday, June 3, 8:30 a. m.

Latin—Tuesday, June 3, 1:00 p. m.

Geography, History, and Dramatic Art—Wednesday, June 4, 8:30 a. m.

Mathematics—Wednesday, June 4, 1:00 p. m.

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Physical Geography, Commercial Law, and Spanish—May 26, 27, 28, respectively, in class.

Seniors Prepare to Aid National Defense Program

Preparing to do their part for the national defense program, approximately seventy-five members of the senior class have registered as prospective candidates for full and part-time positions in defense industries.

Harold Dreher, local representative of the Ohio State Employment Service Division, told the seniors that due to the expected shortage of defense workers more jobs will be available to high school boys and girls this summer than ever before. He also made individual appointments with each of the interested students so that he would be able to place them according to their respective talents and desires.

In corroboration of Mr. Dreher's statement Principal R. B. Patin revealed that he has had numerous requests for students to fill all sorts of positions.

Walton, Fryer at Cain Park

Shaker faculty members who will teach at Cain Park's summer theater school are William Walton and Robert S. Fryer. Both instructors will teach acting.

Each summer the Cain Park Theater carries out a nine-week program of dramatic and musical shows. This summer the school courses will include everything from voice and diction to the history of the theater and marionette radio work.

Mexican Atmosphere Features Club Party

Amid the rattle of maracas and the rhythm of Latin American music, El Tigre Cafe took over the Shaker High School cafeteria on May 14. The occasion was the annual party of the Travel Club, sponsored by Mrs. Eva Mae Barrow.

The program was presented under the direction of William Walton, head of the Spanish department, and featured several South American songs, rendered by Barbara Hansell and Janet Haley, who is a student at Notre Dame Academy.

Edna Feher, professional dancer, executed the Jarabe Tapatio, Mexican national dance in a costume designed by a Mexican slave. Jean Muscatel and Jack Foley danced the tango, and Gloria and Jim Stotter, the rhumba.

Another highlight of the afternoon was the Bull Fight, done in the traditional manner by Gordon Golder and Dominic Gruttadauria (El Toro) and Lory Berg (El Toreador).

The Mexican atmosphere was provided by an orchestra of 10 pieces, featuring Mr. Walton at the drums, and Kenneth Rasmussen, Cleveland pianist who donated his services. The orchestra used two instruments peculiar to Spanish music, the maraca and the clavele.

The affair was arranged by a student committee, headed by Libby Newhall, in cooperation with Miss Helene Laitem, Miss Theresa Johnston, Miss Crystal Carruthers, and Mr. Wesley Segner, who designed the scenery.

Gone but Not Forgotten

WE have almost come to the end of another school year. A year which we hope has been spent to good advantage and during which we have in some way enriched our existence.

Next September most of us will come back refreshed and ready to start in again on the old grind. There will, however, be a big gap left by the graduating class and which next year's seniors will have to work hard to fill. This senior class has added much to our school. They have carried on their duties in the best possible way and given untiringly of their time to the school. One of their members has served as president of the school with the wholehearted support of his class and has done an excellent job.

To the Shaker High graduating class of '41 we say, "Thank you for the standards of service which you leave with us. They will serve as an inspiration for the classes that follow you.

We are sure that if you continue to put forth the effort that you have in the past three years that you will be successful in whatever you may attempt and our good wishes for your continued success and happiness will follow you always.

Repaying a Debt

A PLAYER raced down the field, the pigskin clutched to his chest. On and on he ran, across the goal line to make another score for the Red Raiders. As the crowd joyously jumped to their feet, the band burst forth with "On, Oh, Shaker," and the stands rocked as Shaker sang to its victorious team.

Only a few hours earlier, this same band presented a pep assembly, given to arouse our school spirit to an enthusiastic pitch in preparation for the big game of the year.

And this isn't all that the band has done for us this past year. They've played in numerous assemblies and given us many hours of enjoyment. Yet, how do we show our appreciation? Two weeks ago the band presented its annual concert, which was, if anything, better than ever, and of almost 1000 students, less than 250 attended.

We all enjoy the band when it is doing something for us, but when they ask us to support the one show of the year that is really their own, we let them down. Let's not do it again. We know we appreciate their service, but how can the band know it, if we don't show them?

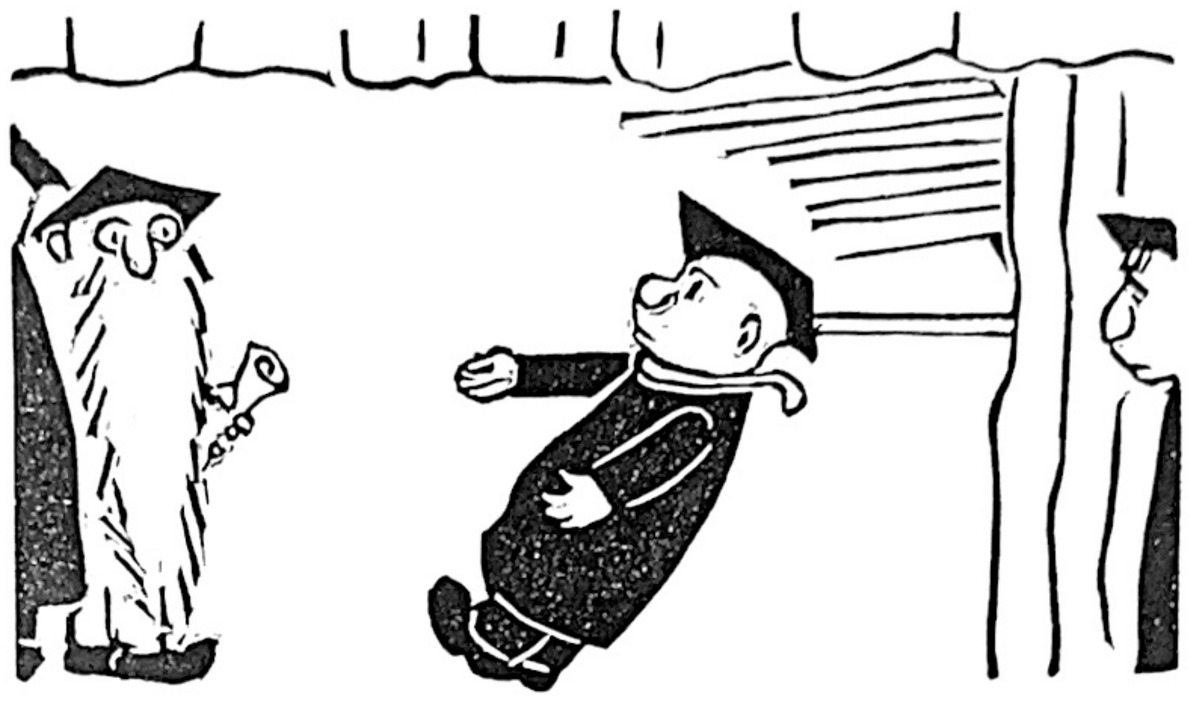
End Right

NOW you 10B's are hearing two words together, "exams' 'and "cramming." But these words do not belong together. Exams are just review tests and if you have been doing your work satisfactorily throughout the semester, they aren't anything to worry about. So you needn't "cram" as many people advise, but review comprehensively and intelligently.

Do your studying before Sunday night for a Monday morning test, so you can get your much-needed sleep. When you get to school in the morning, don't discuss the exam with anybody; it's only likely to get you confused and undo a lot of good reviewing you have done.

Go to your examination room a few minutes early and sit down, take a deep breath, and compose your thoughts before you begin. You are allowed more than sufficient time, so take it and don't rush through. When you are finished, check and recheck till you are sure you have exactly what you want. This is a well-done exam.

FOR WHOM THE GONG BONGS



Gossip

Conversation runs short
It starts to get dull
The inevitable happens
Gossip

Boredom descends
It's amusing to tear and
Dissect reputations with
Gossip

So often it's never a word
But an eyebrow raised
Or a knowing glance that breathes
Gossip

A smirk on a soft face
A nervous laugh
A rolling stone that gathers moss
Gossip

You can never know
The tenacity of its coils
Until you're grasped by
Gossip

By Barbara Rupp

Variety

J. Willbee and Warren G

Once again Frank Capra uses the average American fellow to battle the ills of society. This time it's Gary Cooper in the film "Meet John Doe." Cooper probably does the best work of his career, acting with sympathy and appeal. He takes the part of a bush league pitcher who turns hobo because of a "glass" arm.

Barbara Stanwyck, Ann Mitchell in the film, persuades him to represent John Doe who is supposed to have written letters to a metropolitan newspaper against the sins in our social and political life today. Stanwyck writes news columns, speeches, and directs publicity which soon makes Doe a sensational national hero.

Doe is seized with a fit of rage when he learns that he has been disillusioned and that the publisher and financer, played by Edward Arnold, is trying to hoist himself into the White House via John Doe publicity.

At first he finds it impossible to battle his fascist opponent and he wants to end his strife by a suicide. But Barbara Stanwyck prevents his attempt by pleading hope for reorganization and greater recognition of their cause.

The "Colonel" acted by Walter Brennan supplies many laughs in his amusing comedy role. We musn't forget James Gleason's contribution as the editor of the newspaper and his forceful scene as a drunk.

We believe this film is one of the hits of the year and recommend it for your "must see" list. It is not only well acted, but contributes thoughts of patriotism at a time when hopes need buoying up.

Shaker Pepper

By Bob Falls

Well, Shakerites, it looks like another year has just about passed. We're all looking forward to a still bigger and better Shaker next year, and I'm sure that President Chuck King is just the man to take care of that. They're still talking about his good work as president of the junior high, and if you give him and his administration the swell cooperation you have the present Student Council, Shaker's going to go one step higher in becoming the best school in the world.

It certainly has been a grand year—this year of Super-Shakerism, and above all it has proved that your cooperation is the one factor which can make success or failure for the activities promoted by our school.

During this past year we've not only gone over our goal on the Budget Book Campaign, the Community Fund Drive, and the French War Relief Fund Drive, but you've also cooperated 100 per cent on many activities; you turned out in very large numbers for football and basketball games, and although we didn't have a too successful athletic season by the score board, we really had a lot of fun, and because of the spirit at those games, Shaker came through several times with an unbelievably good showing, such as the Shaw football and the Kenmore basketball games.

It sure has been a super-Shaker, so let's give three cheers, first and foremost for ourselves, the Shaker student body, and for the faculty which has helped us and guided us through another successful year.

It's time to say so long now, so good luck in 1941-42 under Prexy King.

The Spirit of '41

By Chuck King

We're at last coming to the end of another school year which has been more eventful than most. Right now your minds are set on exams and the three glorious months that follow, but mine has wandered to the coming year and to the opportunities it holds for us all.

Coach Pederson is planning on a highly successful football season and you'll probably see a team that's going to fight and fight hard to put Shaker back in the limelight.

Bill Lister and I are planning on reviving the Student Court which will enforce the boosters. This will relieve the deans of a lot of work which rightfully is the students'. The booster system will take but a few alterations to bring it up to the executive committee's ideal.

I have just one thing to ask of everyone; namely, that he puts all he has into everything, and we'll come out with a greater spirit—The Spirit of '41.

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Wax Cracks

By Bruce Fielding

As this is the last issue of the Shakerite we will attempt to give a complete list of all the records which have been released in the past week, starting with the best and working down the list. Competing for top honors with Glenn Miller's "The Spirit Is Willing," and "The Air-Minded Executive," is Alvino Rey's "Hindustan" and "Rondezvous in Rio" and also his interpretation of the "William Tell Overature" which is a two-sided waxwork.

Next in line we have Artie Shaw's Grammercy Five recording of "My Blue Heaven" with the whole band on the other side doing "Moon Glow." "My Blue Heaven" is by far the better of the two. Will Bradley's "Call Me a Taxi" doesn't sound a bit like Bob Crosby's old recording of this piece, but that doesn't prove much, on the other side is "Shadows in the Night." "When You and I Were Young Maggie" and "Music Makers" is done by Bobby Brynes. "Music Makers" is not as good as Basie's recording of this piece which was mentioned in this article last month. Teddy Wilson has a wonderful piano solo in his recording of "Oh Lady Be Good" and "But Not for Me." Ella Fitzgerald has released a very catchy piece called "Keep Cool, Fool" and "No Nothing." "Jersey Bounce" and "Sally Won't You Come-Back" are Earl Hines's best in a long time. Teddy Powell murders "Blue Danube" by playing it too fast; on the other side is "Rendezvous in Rio." Sammy Kaye has at last released a good piece, it is "Daddy" with "Two Hearts that Pass in the Night" on the other side. The smoothest, mellowest piece since Horace Heidt's "G'By Now" is Raymond Scott's "Evening Star," on the other side is "Blues My Girl Friend Taught Me."

Eternity

Water can be frightening at times. In the evening the first touch of darkness makes the lake and sky one continuous body of still, vibrant air.

Perhaps my quixotic nature sent me first to the beach when all others were leaving. Usually, in the daytime, the lake is moderately still, the waves small and foamy; in the morning the lake is always rough with huge whitecaps leisurely parading by to have their formation smashed as they meet the shore. But evening is the most unrestful yet peaceful time of all.

The sky is black, perhaps dotted with an occasional star. The water is still, and tiny bubbles break temptingly on the shore; the water is still but pensive. What does it expect? You seem to feel about you the finality of Death—the abrupt ending of life, but still the everlasting eternity.

Beautiful? No, terrifying! As far as the eye can see, there is a backdrop of black, black, black. Emptiness surrounds you. The air is filled with mystery and tension. The black waves are lapping against the sand, back and forth, back and forth, monotony never ending.

You stand alone in a world filled with nothingness. In a world waiting moodily for a God to bring it feeling. There is the eternal, hovering break of the waves.

You turn and run up the steps—trying to break into the world of life again.

By Marilyn Sheperd

Trackmen Finish Fourth in Meet; Jim Speaker Is Season's Star

Inuries Keep Many Track Members on Sidelines; East Defeats Shaker; Heights' Meet to End Season

Between Showers

Dan Friedman bettered his former low of the year by shooting a 76, incidently it was the second highest of the Lake Erie League tournament.

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The four man relay squad of Szeckley, Reinbrecht, Marotta and Trentanelli broke the 440 yard gym record in 51.2.

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Shaker double teams of Don and Jack Stricker; Joe Nash and Bill Dorer are still undefeated and eager for opponents.

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Jack Spurney is the second dash man of the Shaker track team to be stricken with the measles. Dominic Grutadauria was ill and missed the last four meets.

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Shaker High's Athletic Association made Jim Graham quite happy by purchasing him a new pole. Jim now expects to break the pole vault record—well!

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Worthy of special recognition is Bill Thomas, track miler, who, though unsuccessful in competition thus far, has shown that he can really stick to it. Shaker needs more of his perseverence. Keep plugging, Bill.

A Persevering Fellow

Bob Friedman, track manager, is one fellow, besides Coach Troyan, who has been putting whole-hearted effort behind his work. Bob's job is anything but an easy one. His tasks, which include setting up hurdles, digging three dirt pits, accounting for the shot-put, discus and several high-jump and poll vault standards, distributing towels, giving rubdowns etc. are jobs of difficulty and responsibility.

Although Bob breaks training to eat his usual candy bar at lunch, we can safely say he's been right on the job and performing it efficiently.

Nice going, Bob, and you too Fred Hempy (a valuable assistant). Shaker is fortunate to have such persevering and enthusiastic support!

Shaker High cindermen, handicapped by injury and illness, finished a surprising fourth in the annual Lake Erie League meet, May 10.

Jim Speaker came through with a first place in a brilliant performance with the discus. He heaved it 125 feet in the district meet last May 17. His six points enabled Shaker to finish in a tie for ninth in a field of thirteen.

East High invaded Shaker on the thirteenth of May for a practice meet and was victorious by a score of 72-46. (East is a likely contender for state honors, with a tie for first in the district meet.)

Jim Speaker has been Shaker's most outstanding performer, taking first in two big meets, the Lake Erie and district.

Shaker's 880 relay team also captured a first at the Lake Erie League meet, but has been broken up because of injury to Bob Spacek and the illness of Jack Spurney.

Lots of Injury

Also on the injured list are Ken Horth, hurdler, who is suffering from an injured leg; Warren Glauber, miler, with a pulled ligament; and Alan Kortz, who has been running with bad ankles.

Tom Deuring has been performing well, capturing a second place in the 100-yard dash in the East meet, but failed to qualify by only one place in the district meet.

May 29 the Shaker team will be out to regain its usual form and upset Cleveland Heights in a dual meet at Heights, which marks the close of the current season.

Tennis Squad Defeats Latin With 4-1 Score

Karklin, Phelps Absent; Strickers Show Promise

Handicapped by the absence of its leading singlemen, Shaker's tennis squad took over Cathedral Latin Monday, May 19, 4-1. Tuesday Height's match marked the end of the 1941 season.

Because of the absence of Hal Karklin, senior and first singles, and Don Phelps at the Cathedral Latin meet, the singles matches were played by Jim Wattenmaker, Dick King, and Jack Colman. The team was as usual led by the outstanding tennis of Bill Doer and Joe Nash, undefeated doubles stars, who were supported by the promising Stricker brothers, Don and Jack.

In previous matches of this season the team overwhelmed John Adams, but were stopped by the superior singles opposition of the University School racketters, dropping three of the five matches.

In forecasting next season, Coach John Harbourt emphasized the fact that the squad must be strengthened by better singles material. The foremost development of the season was the Stricker brothers combination who will ably replace Joe Nash and Bill Doer, first doubles team of this year.

Other members of the team include Howard Weiss, Larry Passell, and Stan Felder.

'Sharcs Take a Holiday' In Shaker Natatorium Tonight

Boys' Swimming Team to Join in Water Exhibition

Shaker Sharcs, under the direction of Mrs. D. W. Morse, will present "The Sharcs Take a Holiday," as their annual water pageant, tonight at 8:15 in the Shaker Natatorium.

Following the theme of their production, the swimmers will present a special calendar of events in twelve different acts. Special lighting effects will highlight these exhibitions of swimming formations representing the outstanding holidays of each month. Reflectors will be placed on the girls' caps, something Shaker has never done before, and the lights will bring out the intricate designs created by the swimmers. Also included in the program will be a diving exhibition by members of the club.

The boys' swimming team, led by coach Ernie Grosser, will present a brief swimming exhibition featuring a long-distance underwater race. Previewing next year's team, several races will be held, climaxed by a free style relay by this year's team members.

A quartet, composed of members from the Shaker A Capella choir, will add a musical touch which, Mr. Ellis assures us, will bring waves of applause.

Those girls taking part are the following: Louise Adler, Marietta Beduhn, Nancy Blair, Gloria Boyd, Lois Clark, Shirley Cohen, Ann Colston, Virginia Colston, Patty Dickey, Marion Erlandson, Roselyn Faragher, Nancy Finley, Bebe Grey, Billie King, Marcey Lynn, Nancy Martin, Betty Raney, Mary Rheinhart, Ruth Rheinhart, Jane Schellentrager, Nancy Schuyler, Betty Spring, and Mary Jo Tayler.

Sportlights

Shaker Boots and Saddle Club will put on an exhibition at Aintree Riding Academy tomorrow night. Members Pat Quigley, Peg Klein, Betty Erschel, Emma Jane Tiesher, Lydia Triggs, Margeurite White, and Joyce Clark will be present to compete for honors in beginning, intermediate, and advanced groups. Lake Erie College, Laurel, and Heights High girls will also participate.

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Girls' Leaders entertained Bedford and Garfield G. A. A. May 21, at Shaker for their sixth annual play day. Without interschool competition, they played baseball and swam. An informal dinner in the cafeteria followed.

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IN THE POOL—

Marietta Beduhn's brain-storms . . . Shirley Cohen's diving ability. . . . Joannie Stair's straight (?) swimming. . . . Jean Muscatel. . . .

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The archery class sixth period is composed of members: Mary Dittoe, Lore Ziechman, and Ruth Ammerman.

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This year due to increased interest in golf, the golf class has been revived. During the winter months the girls practiced with a cotton stuffed balls, developing their drive. Now they are receiving lessons from the instructor at the Chagrin Valley Country Club.

Troyan Urges Training for Summer Athletes

"Keep active, eat the right kind of food, and get plenty of sleep," was the advice Patrick Troyan gave to next year's athletes. Mr. Troyan stressed keeping active and for those fellows who wished to get more technical, the *Shakerite's* sports staff offers a vigorous conditioning, training session.

Robert Zuppke, famous football coach at the University of Illinois, prescribes rigorous calesthenics to develop the muscles of the arms, back, chest, abdomen, legs, and feet. This should be tried for about fifteen minutes a day, increasing to twenty-five minutes after the second week. Also short jaunts every day for about one-half mile in length (once and a half around the average city block), and the rest of the day spent in baseball, tennis, or a similar activity.

Zuppke believes, if this program is carried on consistently, it will make athletes strong and increase agility.

Ode to Shaker Cottage

School is over,
Vacation is here.
There are evenings to spend,
With one who is dear.

After your date
And you're on the way home

"Drive-in" to

SHAKER COTTAGE

That's the end of this poem.

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The **junior class** certainly did a grand job of decorating the gym for their wonderful dance. The trimmings were all complete, even to the lei's, which went over with a big bang. It made one think he was in good old Havaiiii.

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GOINGS ON AT THE PROM—

Bill Mapes playing escort to **Jane Paryzek**, due to the sudden case of measles contracted by **Doug Abbott.**

Gloria Boyd and her Hawaiian outfit being the most talked about thing of the evening.

Jeanie of the **Cram** clan on the arm of **Prexy Bob Falls,** who seems to be trying to get back into that league.

Bob Spacek wearing out all the girls with his dancing antics whenever a fast number reared its ugly head.

Barb Brown and **Marty Small,** ex-Shakerites, managing to get back and see the old gang.

Bill Oster getting as close to heaven as he ever will when he put that halo around his head.

Alberta Boher conspicuous by her absence.

Patty Dickey and **Wes Spear** seemingly enjoying each other's company.

Nancy (prom queen) Schuyler being stingy about giving a lei to the stags, which irked many of them no end.

Bob Adams and **Chuck Stewart** both looking a little peeved because their dates were not paying enough attention to them.

The name of **Dick Mill's** cute little date was **Phyllis Jacobson** in case any of you wish to know. We did.

Jane Carter and **Ken Lynn** living in a world of their own, as usual.

Alice Shaw being snatched up by the wolves as soon as she was spotted on the floor.

Phil Smith didn't see much of **Jean Davis,** either, as she was whirled around the floor by every man who got the chance.

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Calamity of the month—Barb Spence had those beautiful **braids** cut—and after six years of growing.

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We want to say "So long" to that swell class of **seniors** and wish them all the luck in the world.

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Higher Education—Quote from **Miss Alma Bowen,** after explaining a long and difficult geometry problem, "Does anyone get this?"

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From the **Travel Club's** gala party—Mmmmmmmm, that **conga.**

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WILL YOU BE THERE?

ETR-CDS Clubs Dance — tonight after the Sharcs Club Pageant.

KPK Club Dance with Cal Dalton's band—May 24 at Shaker Country Club.

Algonk Club Dance — June 4 at Mentor Harbor Yacht Club.

Green Mill Club Dance—June 5.

SDC Club Summer Formal—June 28 at Hotel Statler.

Shaker Grads Honored; Marines Accept Dill

Alan Dill, one of twelve Yale seniors accepted from fifty who applied for enlistment, has been accepted by the U. S. Marine Corps and will begin training during the summer at Quantico, Virginia.

Alan, a Shaker graduate, is a member of Pierson College of which he is Chief Aide. He is a scholar of the second rank, holder of a Cleveland Alumni Scholarship, a member of the Political Union and the Board of Undergraduate Deacons, and is Business Manager of the Dramatic Association. He is majoring in sociology.

Mr. Patin has also announced that alumnus Charles Norlin has been elected to "Cyanide," the junior honorary activities society at Lehigh University. Charles has won freshman numerals in fencing, as wrestling manager, and in soccer.

Library to Purchase New Books With Advice of Group

As the culmination of one semester of work, the members of the Library Club, which meets every Wednesday under the direction of Miss Anderson, last week compiled a list of books. The lists were organized by groups, with each group listing the books which it felt would be desirable for pleasurable reading. These lists will be carefully considered, and those books will be added to the library which will bring the widest range of interest to the students.

During the semester, the club visited the National Library Bindery and also saw a pre-opening exhibit of the book sale at the Shaker Book Shop.

Interviews Begin Series Of Vocational Tests

By beginning a series of pre-test interviews of students during study periods on Tuesday, May 13, Dr. Evelyn Katz, Cleveland College psychologist, inaugurated this year's program of vocational guidance tests.

Each one of the fifteen Shaker students who are taking the tests will be personally consulted by Dr. Katz before and after the series of examinations. Testing will take place every Tuesday and Thursday until the close of school.

Biology Department Takes Field Trips

"The entire school has been working on the newer aspects of vocations. There have been a number of broadcasts suggesting fields of endeavor to the students. There have also been movies showing specific types of work. The teachers in each department have been thinking over the vocational aspects of their subjects. All this leads to the development of better vocational work in the school," said Dr. Everett Myers head of the biology department.

Because the vocational side of biology has never been emphasized in the United States, Dr. Myers is endeavoring to visit establishments where the knowledge of biology is the hub of that business, such as: cross-breeding plants or animals, and health museum management. "Biology must be tied in with other subjects, too," he added.

The first field trip was taken May 3, to the Health Museum where Dr. Bruno Gebhard, the director, talked to the group. The department is at present making plans to visit the Natural History Museum. There will also be a trip to Brookside Zoo where the zoo manager will emphasize the vocational sides of zoo work, an all-day tour of the Metropolitan Park System, and a possible three-day trip to Muskingum Dam.

Students who are not enrolled in regular biology classes can also take advantage of these trips by seeing Dr. Myers.

Loomis Backs Youth Hostels

The establishment of Youth Hostels in this section of the country is proceeding rapidly. These hostels will provide eating and sleeping facilities for hikers at small cost.

Dr. Arthur K. Loomis, superintendent of the Shaker Schools, is actively interested in the plans which are being sponsored by the Cleveland Plain Dealer, and is chairman of the By-laws Committee of the district governing board.

At the present time there are five hostels located within a 35-mile radius of Cleveland and 51 in the entire Great Lakes Region. Over 5000 persons frequented those camps during the last tourist season.

Anyone can take advantage of these hostels who has a pass and is traveling either on foot or by bicycle. These passes are not yet in circulation, but they will soon be issued by the various schools.

Dr. Loomis has lent his full support to the movement and said, "These organizations seem to be very desirous and should be encouraged."

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